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NANOPOROUS MEMBRANE FOR MINIATURIZED REACTIONS
AND ENHANCED REACTION KINETICS
Our Ref. No. 1392/10/2/2/3

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Please find enclosed the following:

1. Request for Refund (2 pages); and
2. Copy of pertinent page from our December 2004 Deposit Account Statement with charge circled (1 page).

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Group Art Unit: 1651

Serial No.: 10/047,438

Examiner: Srivastava, Kailash C.

Filed: January 14, 2002

Docket No.: 1392/10/2/2/3

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For: NANOPOROUS MEMBRANE FOR MINIATURIZED REACTIONS AND
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Application Serial No.: 10/047,438

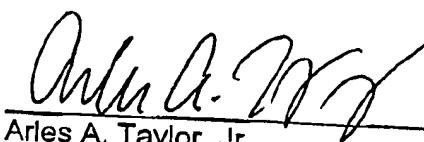
A refund in the amount of \$180.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0426 is respectfully requested.

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, applicants' undersigned attorney brings to the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Copies of the references as well as Form PTO-1449 are attached hereto. This is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that a reference is relevant merely because cited.

No fee under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(p) is due as the undersigned hereby certifies that each item of information contained in this statement was cited in a communication

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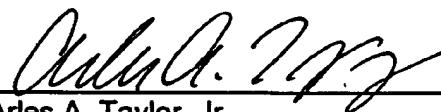
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